









# The Avalanche.

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## LOCAL ITEMS.

### Selling, Hanson & Co's. Price List

(Corrected Weekly.)

Oats No. 2 white, per bushel, 57 cts.  
Barley No. 1, per bushel, 58 cts.  
Rye No. 1, per bushel, 58 cts.  
Wheat No. 1, per bushel, 58 cts.  
Hays, per ton, \$19.00.  
Hay No. 1, per ton, \$19.00.  
Hay No. 2, per ton, \$18.00.  
Hay No. 3, per ton, \$17.00.  
Hay No. 4, per ton, \$16.00.  
Hay No. 5, per ton, \$15.00.  
Hay No. 6, per ton, \$14.00.  
Hay No. 7, per ton, \$13.00.  
Hay No. 8, per ton, \$12.00.  
Hay No. 9, per ton, \$11.00.  
Hay No. 10, per ton, \$10.00.  
Hay No. 11, per ton, \$9.00.  
Hay No. 12, per ton, \$8.00.  
Hay No. 13, per ton, \$7.00.  
Hay No. 14, per ton, \$6.00.  
Hay No. 15, per ton, \$5.00.  
Hay No. 16, per ton, \$4.00.  
Hay No. 17, per ton, \$3.00.  
Hay No. 18, per ton, \$2.00.  
Hay No. 19, per ton, \$1.00.  
Hay No. 20, per ton, \$0.00.

### The "Veteran's Son" at

Pork Hocks at S. H. & Co's.

The Opera House, tonight.

For Job Work of all kinds call at the

AVANCE office.

For supplies of all kinds go to the

Pioneer Store.

C. E. Hicks, of Frederic, was in

Grayling yesterday.

Selling, Hanson & Co's. is the place

to go for boots at low prices.

Selling, Hanson & Co. resumed their

sawing of shingles last Monday.

For genuine hand knit, all wool

mitten go to S. H. & Co's.

W. H. James, of Beaver Creek, was

in town last Monday.

Have you tried that celebrated Red

Dragon Tea at the mammoth store.

E. N. Fitch moved into R. Gilbert's

house this week.

Farmers' Institute will be held in

Grayling, Jan. 31, and Feb. 1st.

W. A. Benedict, of Otsego Lake,

was in town last Monday.

We are now opening up the rubbers

for winter wear at S. H. & Co's.

H. J. Marsh, of Otsego Lake, was

in town last Monday.

A good yoke of heavy oxen for sale,

cheap. Enquire at this office.

Archib Brown, lumber jobber, re-

turned from Saginaw, last Tuesday.

Gold Dust for the ladies at the

Pioneer Store.

A. H. Annis, of Beaver Creek, at-

tended the installation services last

Saturday evening.

For groceries go to the store of Sal-

ling, Hanson & Co.

D. Bennett, formerly of Rosecom-

mon, is now the proprietor of a store

at Loveland, Colorado.

The "Garnier" house, on the South-

side, for rent. Enquire at this office.

Messrs. Masters and Leese have re-

nted the abstract books of the county

for their term.

New goods arriving daily at the

mammoth store.

County Treasurer Jackson has got

fairly settled in his new office and is

ready to care for the county funds.

Fine pocket cutlery at Salling, Han-

son & Co's.

Duane Willett, supervisor of Fred-

eric township, was in town last Tues-

day.

Fresh vegetables can be found at

the Meat Market of C. W. Wright.

Eugene Thayer make a flying trip

to Rosecommon last Monday, on busi-

ness.

Mocha and Java coffee is the finest

drink in town at the Pioneer Store.

James F. Williams has been ap-

pointed postmaster at Greenwood,

Ogemaw county.

All wool socks from 25 cents up, at

the Mammoth Store.

John Graybill, the Merchant Tailor,

of Grayling, called on us while in

town Friday. —Lumberman's Journal.

Furnished rooms to rent. Enquire

at this office.

H. Schriber, treasurer of Grove

township was in town last Tuesday

collecting taxes.

The best Family Flour at the

Mammoth Store of S. H. & Co.

Frank G. Noble, of Big Creek town-

ship, Otsego county, was in Grayling

last week.

A full line of Tinware at Salling,

Hanson & Co's. store.

The illustrations of a large life by

the stereopticon, will be full of in-

terest to everybody.

Mackinaw shirts and jackets at

the Pioneer Store.

Thos. Wakeley, supervisor of Grove

One dollar a year pays for the AV-

ANCE. Less than two cents a week.

C. L. Trombley returned last Mon-

day evening from a two week's visit

with his family, at Bay City.

A full line of Hardware at S. H. &

Co's.

Tickets for reserved seats for the

"Veteran's Son," Jan. 17th and 18th,

can be procured at the Drug Store of

N. H. Traver.

For fresh butter, eggs, etc., go to

the new Meat Market of Comer & Tay-

lor.

Hair-cutting, shaving, shampooing

and dying done in the most approved

style by competent workmen at the bar-

ber shop of H. Ellsworth.

Oranges, lemons, coconuts and ba-

nanas at the market of Comer & Tay-

lor.

O. J. having bought the stock of

Boots and Shoes of C. O. McCullough,

respectfully asks a share of the patron-

age of the citizens of Grayling and

vicinity.

The "Veteran's Son" will be present-

ed two nights in Grayling, Jan. 17th

and 18th. All should attend as the

play is pronounced to be the best

ever given in Grayling.

The Grayling House is open for the

accommodation of guests and the regis-

ter shows that the traveling world

has "caught on."

An army of mechanics are at work

at the new mill, the timbers of which

are nearly framed, and will be put in

place in a few days.

The Grayling school starts the win-

ter term with over two hundred pu-

pils. The primary department is over-

crowded.

Township Treasurer Schreiber, of

Grove, was the first to make his re-

turns to the county treasurer, last

Tuesday.

Judge of Probate Love has taken

possession of the office vacated by

Treasurer Woodburn, and will care

for the orphans and widows.

We would like to have all the school

teachers in the county send us a

monthly report of their schools, for

publication.

There will be a question box at the

Farmers' Institute. Prepare your

questions on any subject that pertains

to agriculture in this section.

Dr. F. F. Thatcher went to Grand

Rapids last Monday, to attend the

meeting of the Grand Lodge of R. A.

Masons, of which he is a member.

Mrs. Geo. L. Alexander returned

from her extended visit to friends in

Detroit and Ann Arbor, last Friday

evening. George is himself again.

W. H. Smale made a flying trip to

Detroit last Saturday. Arthur Brink

had the stoves down in the sales room

during his absence.

J. M. Jones has taken a position be-

hind the counters of the store of Sal-

ling, Hanson & Co. until their new

mill is ready for operation.

O. Nafion received the finest mount-

ed deer head from the taxidermist,

last week, that we have seen for some

time.

The Board of Supervisors of Rose-

common county, donated \$300.00 to

the Rosecommon, Otsego and Craw-

ford county Fair Association.

The Crawford County Agricultural

Society will hold their annual election

of officers during the time of the In-

stitute.

Do not forget the dates of the

Farmers' Institute, Jan. 31st, and

Feb. 1st, and arrange your business so

as to be present during every session.

John Flagg, of Frederic, died in

Chicago last Sunday. The body was

brought home for burial Wednesday

morning. He was the second son of

Elijah Flagg, about 20 years of age.

The Ladies' Aid Society have en-

gaged Dr. Hunting, (President of Alma

College) to deliver a lecture at the

Presbyterian church on Friday eve-

ning, Jan. 25th, at 7:30 P. M.

Charles Nichols, our taxidermist,

has just finished putting up an animal

shot in this vicinity, which is consid-

ered to be an extremely large wildcat.

—Rosecommon News.

The Ogemaw Co. Herald, says: "We

saw lots of bundles going to the train

recently, they all came from the Chi-

cago Store." Another case of "trees

seen as men walking."

Hon. D. P. Markey, of West

Branch, attended the meeting of the

Knights of Maccabees, in Grayling, last

Thursday evening. He is the high

muck-a-muck of the order.

There will be a box social at the re-

sidence of H. S. Buck, in Maple For-

est, on Saturday evening, Jan. 26, for

the benefit of Rev. Campbell. All are

invited to attend.

Gen. Wm. Hartsuff, the republican

candidate for congress, last Fall, in

the Port Huron district, had a slight

stroke of apoplexy last Monday morn-

ing.

The papers which will be presented

at the Farmers' Institute will be fol-

lowed by a general discussion of the

subject, and all should be ready to

give their experience and views.

The subject of fire extinguishers as

it will be presented by Prof. F. S.

Kedzie, at the Institute, will be of

practical value to every man and

woman in the county.

We are pleased to note that the com-

ing Farmers Institute is awakening an

unusual interest in the minds of the

people. Let every body arrange to at-

tend and add their experience to that

of others, that all may profit.

The boiler in the engine-room at

the water-works gave out last week,

necessitating the taking of a portion

of it to Bay City for repairs. Water-

works and electric light are all right

now.

J. M. Jones attended the meeting of

the Grand Lodge of R. A. Masons at

Grand Rapids, Tuesday. He started

there last Saturday, and stopped

over Sunday and Monday with friends

at Cheshaning.

Dr. R. C. Kedzie will give an out-

line of proposed experiments at this

station during the Institute, which

everybody interested in the agricultur-

al development of the county should

hear.

Attorney J. S. Andrews was closet-

ed with the officials at Lansing this

week putting a bee in their bonnet

concerning his contesting suit. There

are no flies on the gallant Captain, but

blood is in his eye. —Otsego Co. Herald.

A man named McDermott, working

in a camp above Grayling, had one of

his limbs badly crushed last week by

a log rolling upon it. Dr. Flynn ampu-

tated the limb at the hip. —Ogemaw

Co. Democrat.

Let every farmer in Crawford and

adjoining counties, and everyone in-

terested in the agricultural develop-

ment of this section of the State, ar-

range his business, if possible, so as to

attend the Farmers' Institute here,

Jan. 31, and Feb. 1st.

Joseph Berzy, a woodsman ordered

dinner for four, consisting of four doz-

en eggs, etc., at McClain's restaurant

and went off without either eating or

paying. He was arrested, tried, con-

victed and fined \$2.00 and costs, \$3.25.

Pretty dear eggs to him.

The Northern Mail has been en-

larged from 7x9 inches to a five col-

umn quarto; a big improvement. The

editor is trying to induce the inhabi-

tants of Otsego county to make and

carry out a New Year resolution, to

give the paper the support it merits.

We trust he will succeed.

The friends of Mrs. Elsie B. Mapes,

the mother of W. H. Mapes, who was

pleased to learn that she was this

week granted a pension for the loss of

her son, John B. Mapes, who died

from illness contracted in the army. —



